- (1) American Bureau of Shipping, Two World Trade Center, 106th Floor, New York, NY 10048.
- (2) American National Standards Institute Standards (ANSIS), American Society of Mechanical Engineers, 345 East 47th Street, New York, New York 10017.
- (3) American Petroleum Institute, 2101 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037.
- (4) International Cargo Gear Bureau, Inc., 90 West Street—Suite 1612, New York, New York 10004.
- (5) National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101.
- (6) Underwriters Laboratories, 12 Laboratory Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-3995.

[CGD 73-251, 43 FR 56802, Dec. 4, 1978, as amended by CGD 88-070, 53 FR 34534, Sept. 7, 1988; CGD 88-070, 53 FR 37570, Sept. 27, 1988; CGD 88-070, 53 FR 44011, Nov. 1, 1988; CGD 96-041, 61 FR 50730, Sept. 27, 1996; CGD 97-057, 62 FR 51046, Sept. 30, 1997]

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When approval of the Commandant is required under this subchapter, the following addresses are to be used:

- (a) For approval by Commandant (G-MOC)—
- Commandant (G-MOC), U.S. Coast Guard, Washington, D.C. 20593-0001.
- (b) For approval by Commandant (G-MSE)—

Commandant (G-MSE), U.S. Coast Guard, Washington, D.C. 20593-0001.

[CGD 73-251, 43 FR 56802, Dec. 4, 1978, as amended by CGD 82-063b, 48 FR 4781, Feb. 3, 1983; CGD 88-070, 53 FR 34534, Sept. 7, 1988; CGD 95-072, 60 FR 50464, Sept. 29, 1995; CGD 96-041, 61 FR 50730, Sept. 27, 1996]

Subpart B—Inspection and Certification

§107.201 Purpose.

This subpart prescribes rules for the—

- (a) Original inspection and issuance of an original Certificate of Inspection required by 46 U.S.C. 3301, 3307 and 3309;
- (b) Biennial inspection for certification and renewal of a Certificate of Inspection required by 46 U.S.C. 3301, 3307, 3309;
- (c) Reinspection required by 46 U.S.C. 3308:
- (d) Inspection after an accident required by 46 U.S.C. 3308; and

- (e) Inspection of repairs or alterations, or both, required by 46 U.S.C. 3308 and 3313:
- (f) Amendments to Certificates of Inspection;
- (g) Issuance of Temporary Certificate of Inspection; and
- (h) Issuance of Permit to Proceed to Another Port for Repairs.

[CGD 73-251, 43 FR 56802, Dec. 4, 1978, as amended by CGD 83-067, 49 FR 39161, Oct. 4, 1984]

§107.205 Alternate compliance.

- (a) In place of compliance with other applicable provisions of this subchapter, the owner or operator of a vessel subject to plan review and inspection under this subchapter for initial issuance or renewal of a Certificate of Inspection may comply with the Alternate Compliance Program provisions of part 8 of this chapter.
- (b) For the purposes of this section, a list of authorized classification societies is available from Commandant (G-MSE). Approved classification society rules and supplements are contained in 46 CFR 8.110(b).

[CGD 95-010, 62 FR 67536, Dec. 24, 1997]

§107.211 Original Certificate of Inspection.

- (a) The owner or builder of a unit applies for an inspection for an original Certificate of Inspection by submitting before construction is started:
- (1) A completed Application for Inspection of U.S. Vessel, Form CG-3752, to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, of the marine inspection zone in which the unit is to be constructed; and
- (2) Plans and information indicating the proposed arrangement and construction of the unit to the Coast Guard in accordance with Subpart C of this part.
- (b) An original Certificate of Inspection is issued if the Coast Guard finds, during the inspections conducted while the unit is being constructed, that a unit contracted for on or after January 3, 1979 meets § 107.231.
- (c) An original Certificate of Inspection is issued if the Coast Guard finds that an uncertificated unit contracted

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for before January 3, 1979 meets the applicable requirements of this Subchapter as specified in the Navigation and Vessel Inspection Circular, "Inspection and Certification of Existing Mobile Offshore Drilling Units" (Appendix A). Existing structure, arrangements, materials, equipment, and facilities will be considered satisfactory so long as they are maintained in good condition to the satisfaction of the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection. Repairs and minor alterations may be made to the same standards as originally used. Major alterations and conversions shall be in compliance with the provisions of each subpart of this part to the satisfaction of the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection.

(d) A Certificate of Inspection expires 24 months after the date of issue.

§ 107.215 Biennial inspection for certification.

- (a) The master, owner, or agent of a certificated unit may apply for a biennial inspection for the renewal of a Certificate of Inspection by submitting a completed Application for Inspection of U.S. Vessel, Form CG-3752, to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, in or nearest to the port where the inspection will be made.
- (b) The master, owner, or agent of a certificated unit operating in international service may apply for renewal of a Certificate of Inspection by submitting a completed Application for Inspection of U.S. Vessel Form CG-3752, to the appropriate Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, at least 60 days before the expiration date that appears on the unit's unexpired Certificate of Inspection.
- (c) A Certificate of Inspection is renewed if the Coast Guard finds, during the biennial inspection, that—
- (1) A unit contracted for on or after January 3, 1979 meets the requirements of this Subchapter; or
- (2) A unit contracted for before January 3 1979, and issued a Certificate of Inspection under Subchapter I of this chapter, continues to meet the requirements of that subchapter and meets the applicable requirements of this subchapter as specified in Navigation and Vessel Inspection Circular, "Inspection and Certification of Existing

Mobile Offshore Drilling Units' (Appendix A).

§ 107.219 Permit to proceed to another port for repairs.

- (a) If a unit fails to meet the requirements in §107.231, and the Coast Guard withholds reissuance of a Certificate of Inspection, or suspends an unexpired Certificate of Inspection, as described in §107.279, a Permit to Proceed to Another Port for Repairs (Form CG-948) is issued by the Coast Guard if—
- (1) The owner, master, person in charge, or agent makes a written request for a permit to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, that includes—
- (i) The reason the permit is requested;
- (ii) The port in which the repairs are to be made; and
- (iii) The period of time for the voyage;
- (2) The Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection finds that the unit is seaworthy for the voyage.
- (b) A Permit to Proceed to Another Port for Repairs states the conditions under which it was issued and is in force for the period of the voyage to the port in which the repairs are to be made.

§107.223 Temporary Certificate of Inspection: Period in effect.

A Temporary Certificate of Inspection, issued under 46 U.S.C. 3309 is effective until a Certificate of Inspection is issued to the unit.

[CGD 73-251, 43 FR 56802, Dec. 4, 1978, as amended by CGD 83-067, 49 FR 39161, Oct. 4, 1984]

§ 107.227 Certificate of Inspection Amendment.

The Coast Guard issues a Certificate of Inspection Amendment, Form CG-858, to a certificated unit if a requirement for equipment and data listed on the unexpired Certificate of Inspection is changed.

§107.231 Inspection for certification.

A unit is issued a Certificate of Inspection under §107.211 or §107.215(c) if the inspector finds the following:

(a) The unit and its equipment comply with—